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FREAR MYSTERIOUS ABOUT ENDORSEMENTS RAILROAD MEN HOLD UP MESSAGE

Kuhio Misled, Says Governor

Chief Executive Refuses To Say Anything About Judicial Indorsements—Defends Land Policy

Governor Frear declined to state this morning whether he had submitted any indorsements to President Taft and Attorney General Wickersham in regard to the appointment of successors to Woodruff on the Federal bench and Associate Justice Wilder on the Territorial Supreme Bench.

"I am not ready to give out anything in that connection," said the Governor.

"Is the report that you have indorsed A. G. M. Robinson as Federal judge correct?" he was asked.

"I cannot answer that one way or the other," replied the Chief Executive. "Anything that I say in that connection might be misinterpreted."

The Governor admitted that he has "talked" with President Taft

and Attorney General Wickersham in connection with the judicial vacancies, but resolutely adhered to his first assertion that he would not make a statement one way or the other as far as the indorsement for the judicial vacancies were concerned.

Met Kuhio.

The Governor was not backward in defending himself against the charges that were voiced by Prince Kuhio shortly before his departure for the coast, declaring that the Territorial administration was out of sympathy with the people in the administration of the land laws.

"I met the Prince in San Francisco," said the Governor, "and he then seemed to think that he had made a mistake in his assertions in

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Railways Protest To Taft

WASHINGTON, Jan. 3. — President Taft held a conference today with the presidents of six of the transcontinental railroads of the country. These gentlemen called on the President to protest against the plan for the amendment of the interstate commerce law as outlined in the preliminary statement of the special message Mr. Taft contemplated sending to Congress.

Following the conference, it was announced from the White House that the message dealing with the Anti-Trust laws will be submitted to Congress on Thursday, and the message on the interstate commerce law will be deferred till Friday.

This is taken to mean that the President will revise the latter message, as the original plan was to transmit these messages the same day.

Finns Lost Munitions

HELSINGFORS, Finland, Jan. 3. — Russian authorities made a seizure today of 3,000 rifles and 1,000,000 rounds of ammunition that have been smuggled into Finland. It is believed that this uncovers a plot for a revolt in Finland to secure independence of Russia.

WHAT KUHIO SAID IN SAN FRANCISCO

Another Version of That
Kau Speech; No
Trouble

Jonah Kuhio Kalaniana'ole, Delegate to Congress from the Hawaiian Islands, and sometimes known as "Prince Cupid," and Sam Parker are at the Stewart, says the Chronicle of Dec. 25.

Stories have emanated from Honolulu to the effect that the Prince had used a "shorter and uglier word" during a recent speech to his constituents, applying the word to Governor Frear, by grace of the President of the United States Governor of the Territory of Hawaii. To be plain, it has been said that the Prince called the Governor a liar, but this the Prince denies.

"It is not true that I called Gov. Frear a liar," said the Prince. "The whole thing came about in this way: My people have been complaining because the lands of the Territory have not been divided so that they may be homesteaded and thrown open to settlement. Not long ago they took me to task, saying: 'You do not keep your promises made to us about the lands. How can we continue our confidence in you? You and the Governor promised that the land laws would be liberalized so that we could have our homesteads and nothing has been done.'"

"Then I said to my constituents, (Continued on Page 4)

NO BLARE OF BAND TO WELCOME HIM

Governor Frear Returns
By Japanese Liner
Today

FOUR HUNDRED DOLLAR
FINE SITS LIGHTLY

Chief Executive One of Fifty Cabin
Passengers—Tenyo Maru to
Sail for Orient at Five This Evening—Much Mail for Honolulu.

Governor W. F. Frear, the first official in the Territory of Hawaii, shared with several prominent Japanese consular officials and business men, in the sedate and imperturbable passage of greetings between seventy-five to one hundred persons awaiting the arrival of the Japanese liner Tenyo Maru, from San Francisco, at Hackfeld wharf this morning.

From the standpoint of a quiet, placid, and serene home-coming, the return of Governor Frear and his daughter, who were flying a foreign flag, left nothing to be desired. The arrival of the chief executive of the land, and the utter absence of any outward form of demonstration upon the part of the populace, was doubtless a most remarkable incident in the minds of some fifty foreigners of prominence who made up the greater part of the cabin passenger list of the Tenyo Maru.

With but few exceptions, the little crowd assembled at Hackfeld wharf this morning was made up of those persons whose business compelled their presence there. Several local Japanese business men were on hand to greet their countrymen. These vied in a small and unobtrusive way in the dignified greetings bespoken the Governor of the Territory by Secretaries Mott-Smith and Claudius McBryde.

The band was painfully conspicuous by its absence. After eliminating the wharf and berthing officials, stewards, hotel and laundry runners, and newspaper men from the quiet little gathering, but few remained.

Governor Frear displayed no outward signs of anxiety as to where the four hundred dollars will come from with which to liquidate the Federal fine imposed for traveling upon an alien ship between two American ports. The Executive appeared at the front of the promenade deck, hat in hand, ready for the plaudits of the people, which came not.

Several Britishers, engaged in various lines of business at Hongkong and Shanghai, gathered in a little group after the vessel had come alongside the wharf and were greatly surprised at the apparent apathy manifested over the arrival of the chief official at Honolulu.

"An occurrence like this, happening at Hongkong, would have drawn out a great outpouring of the people over there," was the comment from one of the Britishers.

"The return of the harbor master of Shanghai, who, by the way, is one of our highest-paid officials, would have drawn out a much more enthusiastic assemblage."

"It's really wonderful how little interest your people take in the home-coming of a prominent official. I always imagined that the Americans were a very demonstrative sort of people, having a year or so ago been present at Manila upon the return of the Archbishop of Manila, at which time there was a tremendous demonstration. The return of the Bishop of the English or Episcopal church there was also an occasion where the people turned out in large numbers and the ecclesiast was greeted by the music of bands and met by decorated carriages."

"Indeed, this is very singular," was the pertinent rejoinder as the party of tourists filed down the wharf and took their places in a waiting automobile for a hurried trip to the Pall.

The Tenyo Maru met with fine weather on the way down from San Francisco. She brought but two passengers for Honolulu. In transit she has about forty for various ports in Japan and China.

There is a mail amounting to 461 sacks for Honolulu. In transit nearly one thousand sacks will be left at China ports, mostly for the Philip-

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Grand Jury Indicts Huston

(Special Bulletin Cable.)
WASHINGTON, Jan. 3. — Former Treasurer of the United States Huston was indicted by the Grand Jury. The charge laid against him is that of conspiracy and fraudulent use of the mails in connection with the business of the National Trust Company.

John D. Jr. Grand Jury Foreman

(Special Bulletin Cable.)
NEW YORK, Jan. 3.—John D. Rockefeller, Jr., has been appointed foreman of the Grand Jury organized to investigate the white slave trade.

Subsidy Is What They Want

NEW YORK, Jan. 3. — The National Association of Manufacturers in session here has passed a resolution urging Congress to pass the ship subsidy law supported by the administration.

Morse Enters His Prison Cell

ATLANTA, Ga., Jan. 3. — Chas. W. Morse, the banker and ice trust organizer, reached here today, and was formally committed to the penitentiary and donned the prison suit.

ESTRADA STARTS AGAIN

BLUEFIELDS, Nicaragua, Jan. 3. — Gen. Estrada has assembled his forces and formally opened his campaign to secure control of the western strongholds of the country.

LURTON ON BENCH

WASHINGTON, Jan. 3. — Associate Justice Lurton, the successor to the late Justice Peckham, took his seat on the Supreme Bench today.

The following officers were installed by Pacific Lodge No. 822, A. F. & A. M., for the ensuing Masonic year, at their installation meeting held on Thursday evening, December 30: Henry Ernest Cooper, P. M., Right Worshipful Master; William Frederic L. Stanley, P. M., Deputy Master; John Kidwell, P. M., Substitute Master; Edwin Hall Paris, P. M., Immediate Past Master; John Julius Reiser, P. M., Senior Warden; Edwin Oscar White, P. M., Junior Warden; Lemuel Clark Ables, Treasurer; Charles Francis Murray, P. M., Secretary; Charles Russell Fragler, P. M., Senior Deacon; Louis Lafayette La Pierre, Junior Deacon; Peter Talt Phillips, Tyler.

Cupid Cause Of Dismissal

Midshipman Austin's Marriage To Miss
Wadman Brings Drastic Action
By Department

Washington, Dec. 24.—As a result of the success of Cupid, the career of Midshipman Joseph E. Austin of the United States cruiser South Dakota, ended today. He was dismissed from the naval service because he married in violation of an order issued during the Roosevelt administration.

This order was that a midshipman must not marry with the consent of the Department, although he had completed the course of instruction at Annapolis.

Midshipman Austin was married in Honolulu on the visit of the South Dakota to that port recently.

The announcement of the dismissal of Midshipman Austin from the Navy

as a result of his marriage to Miss Wadman in this city during the last visit of the Pacific Fleet, came as a surprise and a shock to local society. Mrs. Austin is the daughter of Rev. J. W. Wadman and was wedded and won during the stop made by the Pacific fleet in Hawaii on its way to the Orient.

When informed this morning of the action of the Navy Department in deciding on the dismissal of Midshipman Austin from the service, Mr. and Mrs. Wadman were greatly surprised.

"The Navy Department has surely acted under some misapprehension if this report is correct," said Mr. Wadman. "The order prohibiting the marriage of Midshipmen was never posted on board the South Dakota and so was not officially known before the

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Courts Granted 159 Divorces In Year

Annual Reports of Circuit Judges
Show Marital Troubles On Increase.

The three judges of the Circuit Court have submitted their annual reports to Chief Justice Hartwell of the Supreme Court, covering the business of the courts for the past twelve months.

Judge De Bolt's report shows that there have been thirty-one convictions and thirteen acquittals for felonies and one mistrial.

For misdemeanor offenses on appeal from the District Magistrate's Court, there were forty-four convictions and eleven acquittals. Four cases were dismissed and sentence suspended in forty-two instances, fifteen appeals being withdrawn.

The nationality of the defendants before Judge De Bolt during the course of the year show that 41 were Hawaiians or part-Hawaiians, 179 Chinese, 109 Japanese, 1 Korean, 9 Portuguese, 1 Filipino, 17 English, American and German and 3 negroes. The civil cases disposed of by Judge De Bolt bring the total up to 259—19 cases now pending on the decision of the Supreme Court in the case of the Territory vs. Choy Ding, charged with selling fish without a license. The excess of Chinese over the other nationalities before Judge De Bolt during the course of the year is accounted for by the number of arrests for gambling, in which Chinese are usually the defendants.

The report covering the work of Judge Lindsay, who was succeeded later in the year by Judge Whitney, as Second Judge, shows that 93 civil cases were disposed of and nine divorces granted. The total number of cases disposed of by the Second Judge were 123.

The report of Third Judge Robinson shows a total case disposition of 413. The report gives the number of divorces granted at 125, four being refused and nine suits being discontinued. Two actions for separation were discontinued. The total number of cases disposed of by the three Circuit Judges was 795.

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